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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kenji Oi et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2662

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Examiner: Timothy L. Lee

For: PACKET TRANSFER CONTROL CIRCUIT

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AMENDMENT

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This is in response to the final Office Action mailed November 19, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on February 19, 2004. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed concurrently herewith along with a Petition for a 1-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, thereby extending the period for response to March 19, 2004.

Entry of this Amendment and reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.